

15915 U.S. PTO  
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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION  
TRANSMITTAL**  
 (under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

 Docket No. P08042US00/BAS  
 1<sup>st</sup> Inventor WATTS, Paul et al.  
 Title METHOD OF REACTRING  
CARBOXYLIC ACIDS
222264 U.S. PTO  
10/659738  
09/11/03**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

- Fee Transmittal (FEE CALCULATION below)  
 Applicant claims **small entity status**  
 Specification [total pages = 14]  
 Drawings [total sheets = 2]  
 Oath or Declaration [total sheets = ]  
 Newly executed (original or copy)  
 Copy from prior appl. (for cont./div.)

**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

- Application Data Sheet  
 Assignment Papers (cover sheet + document(s))  
 Information Disclosure Statement  
 Preliminary Amendment  
 Certified Copy of Priority Document  
 Return Receipt Postcard

 ..... **CONTINUING APPLICATION**-check box below-must claim benefit of parent via Pre. Am., Appl Data Sheet or in Spec.

 This is a ..... Continuation ..... Divisional ..... Continuation-in-Part  
 of: Prior Appl. No.: Examiner: Art Unit:

**FOR CONTINUATION or DIVISIONAL APPLICATIONS ONLY:** The entire disclosure of the prior appl., from which an oath or declaration is supplied above, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying cont. or div. appl. and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted for the submitted appl. parts.

**FEE CALCULATION and notations**

|  | NOW | Basic Number | Present Extra | Rate                          | \$           |
|--|-----|--------------|---------------|-------------------------------|--------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TOTAL CLAIMS           | 27  | - 20         | 7             | X \$ 18 =                     | 126          |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INDEP. CLAIMS          | 02  | - 3          |               | X \$ 84 =                     |              |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)                                |     |              |               | + \$ 280 =                    |              |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>                        |     |              |               | BASIC FILING FEE \$ 750 =     | 750          |
| Reduction by ½ for <b>small entity status</b> of applicant |     |              |               | TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS = | 876          |
| Fee for recording of assignment                            |     |              |               | SUBTOTAL =                    | 876          |
|  |     |              |               | + \$ 40 =                     |              |
|  |     |              |               | <b>TOTAL OF ALL FEES =</b>    | <b>DEFER</b> |

No check is enclosed, and no charge should be made to our account.

A check in the amount of \$ \* is enclosed. If no check or an insufficient check is enclosed and a fee is due in connection herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee or additional fee due in connection herewith to Deposit Account No.

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